Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 06 Jan 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 07 Jan 2021

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 05 Jan 2021 at 09:42

Confidence: Generally high but some uncertainty on snowfall later Thursday and into Friday.

Headline for Wednesday 06 Jan 2021: A dry but largely cloudy day, best chance of sunshine during the afternoon.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 06 Jan 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Medium Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Clear night	Clear night
Precipitation probability							
10%	20%	20%	10%	10%	<05%	10%	10%

Forecast for Wednesday 06 Jan 2021

Weather: It will be dry but largely cloudy for much of the day but skies clearing during the afternoon to allow some sunshine to end the day. Clear skies into the evening and overnight.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 60% during the morning, increasing to 80% into the afternoon, and further by evening.

Visibility: Generally good but patchy low cloud down to 500m at times during the morning reducing visibility near summits. Chance of some fog patches forming in valleys through the evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	26/31 NE	26/32 NE	25/31 NE	23/27 NE	17/21 NE	13/16 NE	13/15 NE	9/11 NE	7/9 E
600	16/22 NE	16/22 NE	16/23 NE	12/17 NE	10/13 NE	7/10 NE	8/10 NE	6/7 SE	4/6 SE
300	9/19 NE	9/19 NE	9/19 NE	6/15 NE	5/10 NE	4/8 NE	4/6 NE	3/5 SE	2/4 SE
Valley	10/19 NE	10/20 NE	10/20 NE	7/14 E	5/10 NE	4/8 NE	4/6 NE	3/5 SE	3/5 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	-4/-12	-4/-13	-4/-13	-4/-13	-4/-11	-4/-10	-4/-11	-4/-10	-5/-9
600	-2/-8	-2/-8	-2/-8	-2/-8	-2/-6	-1/-5	-2/-7	-2/-6	-3/-6
300	1/-3	1/-4	0/-4	0/-3	1/-1	1/-0	-0/-3	-1/-2	-1/-3
Valley	2/-2	2/-2	2/-2	1/-2	3/0	3/1	1/-1	0/-1	0/-2
Freezing Level*	300m	300m	200m	200m	300m	300m	200m	200m	100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling very cold, particularly at height.

Forecast for Thursday 07 Jan 2021

Weather: A sunny start to the day but clouding over during the morning. Outbreaks of rain, sleet and snow during the afternoon and evening.

Maximum wind: Northwesterly 15-20mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 90% during the morning, 40% during the afternoon.

Visibility: Good at first but cloud bases down to 200-500m at times during the afternoon.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Minus 4 Celsius rising to plus 2 Celsius
At 800m: Minus 4 Celsius.
Freezing level: 200m rising to 600m into the afternoon

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